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Issue to Indian States of Priority "A" certificates for Supply of wagons and permits to purchase foodstuffs controlled by Provincial Governments.

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From

The Secy. to the Hon'ble the Resident

No.R.F.124-42/Pl. dated the 20th April 1942, requesting that applications from persons in the Mysore State for priority 'A' certificates for supply of wagons may be sent through the Residency and not through the Military Advisory Staff.

The Residency does not seem to have written with reference to any applications sent through Govt. The letter is of a general character. Such questions are not dealt with in the War Section. Only questions of obtaining priority certificates from the Supply Dept. for stores are dealt with here. The letter, will, if approved, be transferred to G.M. Branch for necessary action.

Secy 22/4 Issue memo to C.C. & Dr of Civil Supplies

Bldg Commandant & Director of Civil Supplies for 22/4

Bldg HD

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Submd. with memo to C.C. & Dr of Civil Supplies

for Secy

Secy 27/4 Issued Memo Nos. 2695-6/W dt 27-4-42 to the C.C., M.S.T., & Dr of Civil Supplies.

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The reply to this communication should be addressed to the Secretary to the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore, by designation and not by name.

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FROM

THE SECRETARY TO THE HON'BLE THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The General Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, the 20th April *194* 2.

GEN. SECRETARY. 20 APR. 1942

Issue to Indian States of Priority 'A' certificates for supply of wagons and permits to purchase foodstuffs controlled by Provincial Governments.

SIR,

I am directed to state that during the last five months applications have been received by the Military Adviser-in-Chief, Indian States Forces, from different persons in certain Indian States for assistance to procure priority certificates for the supply of wagons and permits for the purchase of foodstuffs. These applications were made to the local Military Advisory Staff or to the Military Adviser-in-Chief direct, presumably because the supply of rations to Indian States Forces units in those States was concerned. But it was found that the personnel, on whose behalf the assistance was sought, were not in all cases confined to Indian States Forces units. Moreover, the Military Adviser-in-Chief is not in a position to certify that similar requests have not already been, or will not in future be, made to the local Political Officers. Nor is he in a position to prevent abuse of the assistance given.

2. I am, therefore, to request that, if there is no objection, applications, if any, from persons in the Mysore State for assistance in such matters may invariably be sent through this Residency and not through the Military Advisory Staff

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

B.I

Letter No.R.F.124-42/Pol. dated the 20th April 1942 from the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

Issue to Indian States of Priority 'A' certificates for supply of wagons and permits to purchase foodstuffs controlled by Provincial Governments.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Memo No. 2695-6/W. Dated, Bangalore, the 27th April 1942.

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Chief Commander-in-Chief & Director of Civil Supplies

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For Chief Secretary to Government.